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Examiner Swarthout,

Enclosed is a response to an office action dated November 25, 2003 for US Patent Application Serial Number 10/063,950. This is a formal communication intended for entry.

If you have any questions please contact me.

Thank you,

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# AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 25, 2003, Applicant proposes the following amendment:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this correspondence.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this correspondence.